



## Lela Frances Magill Swinny

August 19, 2010 - August 19, 2010

Lela Francis Magill Swinny, born on March 20, 1927 in Gonzales, TX, went to be with our Lord and Savior on Wednesday, August 18, 2010 at the age of 83. She is preceded in death by her father Aubrey Van Magill, Mother Francis Ann Wade, brother Aubrey Van Magill, Jr. She is survived by her husband Dr. Boen Swinny, Jr., daughter Susan Swinny Binger and her husband Henry Binger, daughter Holly Jonietz and her husband Louis Jonietz and their daughter Jessica Jonietz, son Boen Swinny III and wife Kathy Bond. Lela graduated from Trinity University with a Bachelor in Business. She taught Public elementary school in Galveston and after raising her family, taught private elementary at Trinity Christian Academy. The family would like to thank Senior Helpers Connie Martinez, Esther Rutkowski and also Cima Hospice. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### SERVICES

Funeral services will be held Saturday, August 21, 2010 at 11:00 A.M. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Private interment will follow in Gonzales Texas.

# Tribute Wall

JJ

“ Oh Momo,  
I can't believe it's been a year since you left us. Seems like just yesterday and I am not even joking. I miss walking in the house and hearing Dr. Phil or Oprah blaring through the house on ALL the tvs. I miss the food you used to cook--even wh

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**Jessica Jonietz** - August 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ I love Lela like family. Actually, I love her more than family because she wasn't a "blood relative;" she was a chosen friend of my entire family.

Lela taught me many things about life. One of my earliest memories in the kitchen was when Lela showed m

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**Patrick Kiker** - July 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Dear Susan & Family  
Mother sent me the your mother's obituary several weeks ago. It brought to mind many fun & fond memories of our friendship & being in your home with your mom, with your family!! She was a wonderful homemaker so talented in many ways.

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**Cathy Nelson Sisk** - September 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ My prayers and thoughts are with you at this time of loss.

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**Patty Tremble** - August 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ I will always remember you with fond memories of growing up down the street, swimming in your pool, admiring your sewing room, eating your famous Greek olives, and spending an Easter cracking crabs in Ingleside. I enjoyed visiting with you many times at Scr

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**Leslie S. Reagan** - August 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ Genuine sweetness and playful giggles pressed into a tiny package, burst out causing your face to glow...so cute and precious! Only in recent few years did I get to know you, when in conversation & prayer, we shared our faith, confidence and joy in the L

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**Patte Bell** - August 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ My friend, "little Lela," as I liked to call her, was a very special Christian lady. Her beautiful smile and laughter will remain in my heart and memory ... until we meet again, with our Lord, Jesus, by the side of the river of life, on that beautiful

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**Connie Patzak** - August 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ Oh I remember the darling handbags you carried ! Just as bright & cheery as you ! Your laughter will be missed and your prayers will be too - however they are still in effect - they never die !  
Your friendship will always

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**Martha C Johnson** - August 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Sweet, precious Lela. I am forever changed through the loving influence of your life upon mine. Your ready smile lit up a room, your loving embrace warmed hearts. You poured out non-judgemental love wherever you traveled. Few women share such an abundant

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**Bonnie Stimson** - August 19, 2010 at 12:00 AM